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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

CONTRACTING OFFICER'S
DETERMINATION AND FINDINGSAUTHORITY TO NEGOTIATE CONTRACT

The Central Intelligence Agency proposes to enter into a contract with Eastman Kodak Company, Rochester, New York, for operation and maintenance of the film processing plant at Rochester, New York.

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I hereby find that this procurement under Project [REDACTED] is chargeable to appropriation 21x6889 on a fiscal-year term bases; the estimated cost of performing the work cannot be reasonably forecast; and the nature of the work involves operations and maintenance, the extent of which cannot be ascertained in advance of project operations. I also find that this procurement is incident to development of highly technical equipment essential to an experimental, developmental and research program presently under procurement and which will result in operational activities; that it is in the interest of national defense and that it has been certified by the Director of Central Intelligence, under date of 2 June 1955, to be for objects of a confidential, extraordinary and emergency nature and therefore is within the preview of the procurement authority of the Agency as stated in Section 10 (b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress. Procurement by formal advertising of the work and services called for by the proposed contract, No. P. O. 660, would result in public disclosure of the nature and character of the equipment as well as its intended use and would thereby jeopardize the security classification of the project.

I hereby determine, as Contracting Officer for this contract, that the necessity and authority for negotiation of this contract have been adequately documented by proper Agency authority, and that the proposed contract must necessarily be negotiated without formal advertising.

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Contracting Officer

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